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GLAD TO BE HERE

HOME-COMING SPEAKERS LAUD NODAWAY COUNTY.

REVEAL DAYS OF YOUTH

Large Crowd Hear Interesting "Heart-to-Heart" Talks This Afternoon From Former Residents.

A large crowd of Nodaway county folks spent an extremely pleasant hour or two in the circuit court room of the court house this afternoon in listening to the Glee club music and addresses by former residents, now "star attractions" in the world of business. The first speaker was Mayor Henry L. Jost of Kansas City, a Nodaway county orphan.

"I have more than a passing interest in Nodaway county and her people," began Mayor Jost in the opening address. "The chances of life threw me on this favored spot and it was from here that I peered into the future. The sensations of aspiration and ambition were first experienced in this county. I am glad to come back here today and mingle with my old-time friends, and dream anew as the dreams of youth.

"My first recollection of Maryville takes me back in the early '80's when Judge Philip Dale, then presiding justice of the county court, in whose family I had been cared for, for a couple of years, brought me here to transfer me to the possession and into the custody of Frank Moss, a farmer living in the eastern part of this county.

"I remember the occasion quite distinctly, because Judge Dale and the members of his household had been very kind to me and it seemed that the bottom of the world had fallen out when the thought of separation came. I remember also that I received at that time as a gift of Judge Dale a little red wagon particularly valued because in all respects it resembled a real farm wagon and it was an effective tonic to keep back the tears.

"With the coming of young manhood came the restlessness to see other parts of the country and while I come back here today with half an apology on my lips, yet I can at least say this in my behalf, that I had the good test and sound judgment to remain in the state of Missouri. I have however, been guilty of what unfortunately has become an alarming offense against this commonwealth. That is in forsaking country for city life.

"The federal census discloses the fact that during the last decade, the rural population of Missouri has suffered a loss of 3.5 per cent while that of the city has increased 22.5 percent.

"This shows that cities have krown in some degree at the expense of the country.

"The biggest problem of today is to keep the boys and girls of the rural districts on the farm. Unless the farms are worked Missouri will disintregate. There is everything to encourage him who tills the soil. Farm products command a better price today than at any time within the memory of living man. The federal government as well as the states are developing agriculture as a science.

"The modern farm machinery and appliances have eliminated much of the drudgery. The farm house can be made as modern, as comfortable and as convenient as the city mansion. The telephone and rural mail delivery links the farm to the balance of the world. Good roads and the automobiles will put the farmers in touch with the theatres and other amusements and the social life of the cities.

"You of the country have everything that we of the city have, and much that we have not. You have the romance of the flowers, the grass, the trees and the running streams; we, the prose of pavements and piles of brick and mortar; you where the air is pure, the sky blue and nature is in color is the natural place for expectancies to ripen into reality, where hope can be audacious and aspirations bold.

"I want the young men and the young women of this county to not join the procession of rainbow chasers. The insane idea that commerce is a more honorable department of activity than agriculture is not only unsound but it has the effect of poisoning the minds of our youth against the most ancient and most respectable calling that ever engaged the energies of man.

"I want the young men and the young women of this county to know that there is opportunity here as well as elsewhere. I do not want them to imitate the restlessness that has characterized the conduct of minds and those that come here today from other parts. I want them to know that resolution and determination can wring success from the affairs of the world as well here as in any other place. I want them to stay here and permit youth to flower into age, and in the sunset of their lives find that peculiar happiness which is now enjoyed by their fathers and mothers, of reckoning their part and share in the thrift and prosperity of this, the best commonwealth of the republic."

Samuel O. Dunn of Chicago, editor of the Railway Age Gazette and author of railroad "textbooks," who formerly lived in this county, preceded Mayor Jost on the platform. Mr. Dunn, too, forgot business and revived memories of years gone by when he, too, was a youth.

Mr. Dunn said in part:

"I know of no other kind of gathering it could give me so much pleasure to attend as the Maryville home-coming celebration. I have seen a large part of our own country, and parts of some other countries, but nowhere else on earth is the grass so green or the sky so blue, or the sunshine so glorious, or the men such pleasant companions, or the women so charming and beautiful to me as in good old Maryville and Nodaway county.

"Now, you may feel some surprise at hearing me say that, for I am but an adopted son of this city and county. As a matter of fact, I actually lived here only five years and a half.

"Well, the reason I say it is this: I grew up in western Kansas, and came to Nodaway county when I was 18 years old. In those days there survived some of the feeling between the peoples of Kansas and Missouri that was engendered back in the days of the Kansas Jayhawkers and the Missouri Redlegs. So while I came here, I came with some misgivings as to the kind of people I should find you.

"What I actually found was a country whose limpid streams, green fields and wooded hills presented a striking contrast to the dry and treeless country that I had left, and whose people I soon found to be not only among the most prosperous but also among the most enterprising, kindly and hospitable in the world. It was so at Burlington Junction, at Quitman and at Maryville, at all of which places I lived.

"I was a stranger and they took me in in the true Scriptural sense. Here, during my comparatively short stay, I made the truest and warmest friendships of my life. Here I wooed and won the best of women. Here my first child was born. Here I won first small successes of my business character. And, therefore, here, in Maryville and Nodaway county, there are the best friends and the most pleasant associations of my life. These are some of the reasons why I accepted the invitation to attend the home-coming celebration with alacrity and joy, and I am mighty glad I am here. I hope you shall have many more of these celebrations. I assure you that if you do I shall never fail to attend one of them if it is physically possible for me to get here.

"If you are just a fraction as glad to have me here as I am to be here then both our cups of joy are full."

Others who spoke were B. R. Martin of St. Joseph, Arthur Miller of Kansas City and E. E. E. McJimsey of Springfield, Mo.

Former Residents Who Speak Here Today

HON. HENRY L. JOST, MAYOR OF KANSAS CITY.

HON. S. O. DUNN, EDITOR RAILWAY AGE GAZETTE, OF CHICAGO, ILL.

IS BIG DISPLAY

FARM AND HOME PRODUCTS GALORE ON EXHIBIT.

EXPLAIN PARCEL POST

Uncle Samuel Tells Patrons About New System—More Than 1,000 Exhibits at Borrusch Building.

One of the interesting places to visit this week during the Homecoming celebration is the home economics and agricultural show in the Borrusch building at Third and Buchanan streets There were over 1,000 exhibits on display this morning and many more are coming in every hour.

In the home economics exhibit is displays of cakes, butter, cheese, bread shirt waists, dressed dolls, fancy and plain aprons, candies, an abundance of flowers, canned fruits and vegetables, and darning work.

In the agricultural display, there is everything that can be raised on the farm in this county. There are many exhibits of good corn and also many apples, showing that Nodaway county had a good apple crop this year. Far more fruit is on display this year than there has ever been before at a show of similar kind held in this city.

Then there are peaches, and pears, wheat, rye, oats, alfalfa, vetch hay, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, turnips, tomatoes, beets, radishes, cabbage, squashes, pumpkins, carrots.

Many Displays.

A special exhibit is that of Werren Spoor of this city. It contains many things such as were raised by him this year. Another exhibit is that of alfalfa of Elmer Fraser and also his vetch hay display. M. C. Thompson has on display the ribbons he has won at corn shows and there are many of them, too.

The postoffice has an interesting

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CELEBRITIES HERE

FORMER NODAWAY RESIDENTS ATTEND HOME-COMING TODAY.

SPEAK AT COURTHOUSE

Proposed Pyrotechnical Display Tonight Deferred Because of Weather—Free Acts Go On.

Home-coming day, the banner of the five days of Nodaway county's initial home-coming celebration, is here. Borne along on the same wave and just as scheduled are the celebrated human products of Missouri's richest county, in the person of Henry L. Jost, mayor of Kansas City, Samuel O. Dunn of Chicago, editor of the Railway Age Gazette, "the railway man's Bible;" E. E. E. McJimsey of Springfield, publisher of the Republican of that city, past postmaster and director and officer of a score or less of societies and companies; B. R. Martin of St. Joseph, and "others too numerous to mention."

They all flocked in together, all in just the ordinary day coach of the Burlington noon train and appearing like common, every-day persons as you and I. Their politics were not even inquired of by the numerous local candidates, and the names "Henry," "Sam," "Elmer" and "Raleigh" and such cognomens took place of the stuck-up-like surnames.

Biffed the Weather.

The fact that all the scheduled famous home-comers came just as promised speaks well, too, for the veracity of Nodaway county folk, even after they remove from the place. The weather did not feaze them.

The Glee club of the Conservatory of Music, as planned, took the center of the lime-light at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the court house preceding the speakers. Mayor Jost opened the speaking shortly after 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. He was followed by Mr. Dunn and others. Each forgot for the time being the special work that holds them from "home folks" and told about the good old days at the swimmin' hole, etc.

The Pain pyrotechnical display planned at the Normal athletic field tonight will have to be called off again on account of the weather. Even if the weather should become favorable later in the afternoon, it could not be shown because of lack of time to prepare the set pieces.

Hold Auto Races Tomorrow.

The scheduled free acts and other attractions went off today as announced.

The automobile contests and athletic stunts planned for tomorrow have been canceled, but the automobile races will be held if the weather is at all favorable on that day. There will be obstacle contests on Main street.

The proposed band concert, free acts and shows planned for Friday, however, will be held, it is announced.

INSPECTS RURAL SCHOOLS.

G. W. Reavis, State Visitor, is Here—Also Manages Fair School.

George W. Reavis of Jefferson City, state rural school inspector, and manager of the state fair school at Sedalia, which has just closed, arrived in Maryville this afternoon for an inspection of schools in this vicinity. He is visiting W. M. Oakerson, county school superintendent.

Mr. Reavis formerly lived in Maitland and Oregon, Holt county, and is fairly well known throughout this county. His last visit to Maryville for the state was about one year ago.

As manager of the state fair school for the two years it has been established, Mr. Reavis has acquired no little fame and commendation for his work along that line. The school had but sixty-four boys in attendance from that many counties of the state last year, while it had ninety-four this fall. Dewey Burch of Pickering represented Nodaway county this fall He became delirious while there and was brought home. He is recovering.

DISPLAYS FARM PRODUCTS.

Mammoth Specimens of Vegetables Shown at Real Estate Bank.

George B. Baker, a member of the board of managers of the state asylum No. 2, at St. Joseph, has obtained for home-coming week an exhibit from the asylum farm which is on display in the window of the Real Estate bank. The display includes sweet potatoes, carrots, beets, turnips, and other vegetables, all of mammoth size and fine specimens.

Guests at Sayler Home.

Mrs. J. V. Sayler and son, Ernest, of Hopkins, came to Maryville today to spend the remainder of the week, the guests of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler.

Arrives From St. Joseph.

Miss Anna Dooley of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville yesterday to spend the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Duncan.

WIN DRILL EASILY

LOCAL WOODMEN GET FIRST PRIZE, CIRCLERS SECOND.

AWARD OLD MEMBERS

Gets $5 for Length of Membership, Too—Many Come Into W. O. W. Order Last Night.

Yesterday and last night was the one big day of all the year for the Woodmen of the World of Northwest Missouri, and despite the terribly disagreeable weather which has prevailed for seemingly an age, Maryville witnessed some of the best fraternal drills and general manuvering that it has had the privilege of enjoying for several years. The attendance of visiting fraternal members was reduced appreciably, in fact more than cut in twain, but the spirit of the order was in evidence at all times.

Beginning with a grand ball Tuesday night in the Woodmen hall, and continuing under rather unfavorable elements Wednesday, yesterday and last night, the W. O. W.'s had the town in tow and the people didn't care. Of course the log rolling, tug of war, the various races and other scheduled Woodmen stunts had to be cancelled, but the drills for prizes went off, a little late to be sure, but according to plans yesterday afternoon. The initiation of amateurs into the secrets of the order also went off fine last night, according to reports.

The local Woodmen of the World team of sixteen men and Captain Ezra Phipps, won first prize of $100 in the drill contest on the square yesterday afternoon from the St. Joseph picked team "hands down and tied." It other words it was a cinch. From the assembly to the end of the drill, the local boys showed up better in every way than the visiting marchers.

Although suffering depletion in points by lack of a full team, the team of the local Woodmen Circle, also drilled splendidly and gained the second prize of $50 with a percentage of 89.8 out of a possible 100. The St. Joseph team of women "Woodmen" also received a higher percentage by better equipment and appearance. Both teams however, received the same percentage of 81, for drilling.

Although a drizzling rain fell through the contest and the chilly northeastern wind blew dismally across the parade grounds, the local and St. Joseph contestants for honors, stood up fine and received much applause from the crowds, which jammed the abutting sidewalks.

The drills resulted as follows:

(W. O. W. Drill—Possible Total 100)

Maryville—	
Inspection	12.6
Drill	76.3
Total	88.9
Less penalty of 10 for completing drill in less than 15 minutes	10
Net Total	78.9
St. Joseph—	
Inspection	12.5
Drill	64.8
Total	77.3
Less penalty for signals given	3
Net Total	74.3

(Ladies Drill—Possible total 100)

St. Joseph Maple Grove Camp—	
General appearance and Inspection	14.8
Drill	81
Net Total	95.8
Maryville—	
General Appearance and Inspection	13.8
Drill	81
Total	94.8
Less penalty for a team of 12 instead of 16	5
Net Total	89.8

Judges—Capt. Otto Beasley, Stanberry, Camp W. O. W.; Lieut. L. A. Bennett, Maryville; Capt. H. D. Snyder, Maryville.

The penalty against Maryville in the W. O. W. drill was through an error in contemplating the drill at the 13 minute signal instead of continuing until the second signal at 15 minutes.

The penalty against the Maryville Circle team was the result of an understanding by them that St. Joseph would bring a team of 12 only and Maryville had only that number prepared for drill.

Woodmen prizes were awarded as follows: Maryville W. O. W. first prize, $100; St. Joseph W. O. W. second prize, $50; St. Joseph Woodmen Circle first prize, $50; Maryville Woodmen Circle, second prize, loving cup.

The oldest Woodman present yesterday was G. W. Cole of Graham, a member of St. Joseph camp. He is 75 years old. He received a prize of $5.00.

The Woodman present who held the oldest certificate of membership was J. W. Speer of St. Joseph. He was awarded a $5.00 prize.

Mrs. Frank Martin of Maryville got the $5.00 prize awarded to the oldest Circle member present. She is 74 years old.

The Circler holding the oldest certificate of membership is being contested, several present yesterday having entered the order about the same time. The winner of this prize will probably be announced within a few days.

Those participating in the Woodmen drill team of the Maryville camp yesterday were: Ezra Phipps, captain, Chester Bennett, John Mc Dougal, John Laveile, Clarence Phipps, James Cummings, Ralph Clayton, Ralph Strader, Arley Robey, Charles Robey, Clinton White, Lester Woodward, Lester Sipes, Guy Wray, A. E. Kariker, W. K. Edwards and R. G. Garton.

The Maryville Woodmen Circle drill team was composed of Mrs. Maud Martin, Mrs. Cora Woodburn, Mrs. Grace Masters, Mrs. Ella Shipps, Miss Daisy Allen, Mrs. Louis Zahn, Mrs. Katheryn Miller, Miss Gola Rhinehart, Mrs. Kate Turner, Mrs. Belle Dragoo, Miss Angie Van Horn and Miss Jennie Collins. Ezra Phipps was drillmaster.

The St. Joseph Circle team was captained by Mrs. Laura Jackson. The team is two years old. In addition to the seventeen on the team, including drillmaster, there were two mascots and three "rooters" for the Circlers.

The St. Joseph Woodmen team was accompanied here by probably forty Woodmen of three of the five St. Joseph camps.

Following the drill contests came the parade of Woodmen at 8 o'clock last night to the State Normal where the initiatory work was enacted by the degree team of St. Joseph. About 100 candidates were admitted. After the initiation in the normal gymnasium, the Woodmen and Circlers repaired to the auditorium where addresses were delivered by W. H. Hughes of St. Louis, state manager; J. H. Keller of St. Joseph, past head consul; Mr. Duffy of Kansas City, deputy consul of the Woodmen and Mrs. C. M. Kelsey of St. Louis, supreme guardian of the Woodmen Circle.

Most of the visiting Woodmen and Circlers returned home this morning. Few attended except from the St. Joseph and Maryville camps. A few represented the other camps of Nodaway county.

MISS M'PHERRON IS EDITOR

Local Normal Student Heads Staff of "The Green and White Courier."

In an election held at the State Normal, in which equal suffrage reigned supreme, Miss Myrtle McPherron, 729 North Market street, has been elected editor-in-chief of the proposed Normal periodical. It is to be known as "The Green and White Courier," according to the selection made at the election.

Other names suggested for the paper were The Normal Messenger and The Normal School Record. Miss McPherron was opposed in the candidacy for chief of the editorial staff by Miss Mattie Dykes and Miss Francyl Rickenbrode.

Ray McPherron, a brother to the editor-in-chief, was selected by the senior class as associate editor.

Prof. M. G. Neale was also chosen an associate editor to represent the faculty. An exchange editor also has been chosen by the senior class and four local editors will be picked as soon as possible.

The first issue of The Green and White Courier probably will be next week. It will appear semi-monthly at first, and perhaps later be changed to a weekly edition.

RETURNS AFTER 16 YEARS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Perry Join Home-Coming Crowd—Live on Kansas Ranch.

Among the visitors at the home-coming who are enjoying the meeting with old friends, are Mr. and Mrs. James H. Perry of Wellsville, Kan., who, with their daughter, Mrs. A. E. Rush of St. Joseph, arrived in the city yesterday.

The Perrys left here sixteen years ago. Previous to coming to Maryville their home was at Barnard for a number of years. Mr. Perry lives on the ranch of his son, J. Woodson Perry, president of the Southwestern National Bank of Commerce of Kansas City, near Wellsville, and looks after its interests. During their stay the visitors will be guests of the J. S. Shinabargar, C. D. and H. T. Hooker families.

Gus King of Clyde spent today in Maryville visiting his daughter, Mrs. John Gross.

TO MOVE TROOPS

GERMAN FORCES PLAN ADVANCE ON PARIS, REPORTED.

ILLNESS AMONG TROOPS

Teuton Fighters Become Sick—Planned Billion Indemnity of Paris or Seizure of Art Treasures.

London, Oct. 15. — The Copenhagen correspondent of the Times says, "Germans arriving here state that owing to the failure of the Russians to make progress against them, the Germans have decided to immediately transfer considerable masses of troops from the eastern to the western front for an advance on Paris.

The same correspondent reports that there is a large amount of sickness among the German troops.

It is learned that plans for the occupation of Paris, drawn by the German government before the battle of Marne, contemplated a demand for one billion dollars indemnity. The entire sum was to be paid within two weeks, after demand. Failing to comply, the Germans planned the seizure of art works, libraries and other treasures of value equal to the indemnity demand. They were to be taken to Berlin and there held until full satisfaction of indemnity was made.

TREASURER'S FATHER DIES

W. H. Tilson, 75, of Rosendale, Succumbs After Long Illness.

Captain W. H. Tilson, 75 years old, of Rosendale, father to William R. Tilson, county treasurer and John L. Tilson, liveryman of this city, died at his home at 6 o'clock last night, after a prolonged illness. Notice of their father's death was received by the sons here about 8 o'clock last night Accompanied by their families, both departed for Rosendale this morning. Death was caused by dropsy and heart disease.

His funeral was held at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the Tilson home. Burial was near Rosendale. Capt. Tilson was born in Kentucky in 1839, but at 12 years of age moved with his parents to this state, settling near Rosendale on a farm. Mr. Tilson enlisted at the outbreak of the civil war in Company B, Fifty-first regiment of Missouri Volunteer infantry, later becoming captain of the company.

Capt. Tilson resided near Barnard, in Nodaway county, for several years, moving there from Rosendale in 1881. He later returned.

Mr. Tilson is survived by a wife and seven sons, William R. Tilson and John L. Tilson of Maryville, James A. Tilson of St. Joseph, Loren L. Tilson of St. Joseph, Roscoe R. Tilson of Rosendale, Lester A. Tilson of St. Joseph, Edward G. Tilson of Glasgow, Mont., and five daughters. They are Mrs. William Burks of Pickering, Mrs. William Turner of Barnard, Mrs. Leland Markley of St. Joseph, Mrs. C. Pettigrew of Bolckow, and Miss Alice Tilson of Rosendale.

STREET SWEEPER ARRIVES.

Improvement is Expected With Receipt of Enclosed Cleaner.

An enclosed street sweeper, which the street committee of the city council recently ordered on trial, arrived over the Burlington railroad this morning, and probably will be unloaded this afternoon. It was shipped here by the Baker Manufacturing company of Springfield, Ill.

It will cost $450, if purchased. The cleaner was sent on the stipulation that if it did not prove satisfactory after a thorough test it could be returned.

The new sweeper, unlike the old one used by the city, is an enclosed affair, built on the same lines as a carpet sweeper, with an attachment for dumping the gatherings at regular intervals along the street. This will facilitate the removal of the rubbish, and at the same time insure a greater cleanliness and elimination of dust. Mr. Reid, demonstrator, accompanied the sweeper here.

Here From Wyoming.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Onstott of Egbert, Wyo., are visiting in Maryville with Mr. Onstott's mother, Mrs. James Onstott, and other relatives.

THE WEATHER

Generally fair tonight and Friday, not much change in temperature.

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Moved to Maryville.

W. M. Binkley, the dredge boat manager of the outfit that is digging the 102 drainage ditch, has moved to Maryville to enter his two boys in the manual training department of the Normal.

Here From Bolckow.

Miss Myrtle Floyd of Bolckow arrived in the city today to spend the remainder of the week with her aunt, Mrs. Anna Todd and family.

Mrs. C. H. John has been very ill for the past two weeks, and her condition today is serious.

WORTH 3 MILLION

HUGHES TOWNSHIP ASSESSMENT INCREASES $50,343 IN YEAR.

HAVE LESS LIVESTOCK

Farmers in Southwest Part of County Own Fewer Animals—Assess Land at $760,000.

The assessed valuation of Hughes township increased by $50,343, or from $910,992 to $961,335 during the last year, according to the annual assessment report of Robert L. Noblet, assessor of that township, which has been filed with County Clerk George W. Demott. It is the first township assessment for 1915 to be filed. The Polk township report also is complete but has not yet been filed.

One noticeable change during the year, however, is noted in the southwest township, in that there is an appreciable decrease in the number of horses, cattle, sheep, hogs and other live stock found by Assessor Noblet this year.

The land values in both the country and in Graham, the only town in that township, however, have been raised the last year. Counting the assessment as representing approximately one-third of the actual value, Hughes township real and personal property is worth nearly three million dollars, or about $150,000 more than last year. The assessment just completed is for 1915, it being each time one year in advance.

The number assessed last year totaled 348, while this year it amounts to about 360, indicating a small increase in population there, although this reflection is not always authoritative, it is explained. The number assessed this year in Graham was 92. There were about fifty persons who owned personal property but not real estate.

The recapitulation for the 1915 assessment shows there are 41,682.67 acres of land in the country in Hughes township, which is assessed at $721,965, while the Graham real estate is assessed at $38,560. Last year there were 40,713.73 acres of land shown in the report. How this change is brought about, unless it is through the pranks of the Nodaway river, is not indicated in the report. The country land was assessed at $714,615 last year and the city real property at $36,720.

This makes a total real estate assessment of $760,525 this year as compared to $751,335 last year.

The personal property this year is divided as follows:

	Number.	Value.
Horses	808	$ 33,110
Jacks and jennets	6	550
Mules	231	10,875
Cattle	2,750	54,115
Hogs	2,945	8,800
Sheep	201	300
Total	7,041	$107,750
Money, mortgages and notes		$ 42,225
Banks		12,400
All other personal property		28,435
Total		$190,810
Total real estate		760,525
Grand total for township		$961,335

The personal property assessment last year was divided as follows:

	Number.	Value.
Horses	902	$ 31,995
Jacks and jennets	5	265
Mules	237	10,660
Cattle	2,998	42,665
Hogs	3,481	9,940
Sheep	332	327
Total	7,955	$ 95,852
Money, mortgages and notes		$ 22,480
Banks		12,000
All other personal property		28,335
Total personal property		$159,657
Total real estate		751,335
Grand total		$910,992

Dismiss Schools Today.

All grade and high school pupils of Maryville were dismissed at noon today that they might attend the home-coming celebration. They will be dismissed again tomorrow afternoon. This afternoon's scheduled studies will be taken up tomorrow morning.

Frank Bryan Here.

Frank H. Bryan of Ocean Springs, Miss., arrived in Maryville at noon today to spend a few days visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bryan, and his sister, Mrs. T. L. Wilderman and family.

Mrs. C. H. John, 613 South Buchanan street, is critically ill.

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A Cascaret tonight will make you feel great by morning. They work while you sleep—never gripe, sicken or cause any inconvenience, and cost only 10 cents a box from your druggist. Millions of men and women take a Cascaret now and then and never have headache, biliousness, coated tongue, indigestion, sour stomach or constipated bowels. Cascarets belong in every household. Children just love to take them.

TO HOLD DISTRICT CONFERENCE

Women's Missionary Conference of St. Joseph District To Meet Here.

The annual meeting of the women's missionary conference of the St. Joseph district of the Methodist Episcopal church, South, will be held in the Buchanan street Methodist church of this city Monday and Tuesday of next week.

The sessions will open at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. About thirty-five delegates are expected and a number of visitors.

The meetings are open to the public and the nature of the programs will make the conference of interest to every one. A part of the work which is of especial benefit is what is known as the school of instruction in mission work which is a feature of the convention. There will also be a number of fine talks and other entertainment numbers.

Returns to Illinois.

Miss Ethel Dunn of Waukegan, Ill., who has been visiting in the city, the guest of the J. H. Saunders, G. L. Willey and Mrs. T. L. Robinson families, left this afternoon for her home. She will stop en route at Bolckow to spend a day visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Dunn and family.

EXTRA

Cuts on Groceries At Townsend's FRIDAY'S SALE

5 Barrel Cranberries, per quart 5c
100lbs Fancy Cream High Patent Flour.....$2.65
16lbs Fine Granulated Sugar $1.00

Winter Apples

You never bought better ones.
per barrel $2.65
For Ben Davis and Ganos,
per barrel.....$3.15
For Black Twigs and Winesaps

Pears, per bushel.....90c
Virginia Sweet Potatoes, 9 lbs for 25c
Home-grown Sweet Potatoes, 10 lbs for.....25c
Grimes Golden or Jonathan Eating Apples, basket.....20c
New crop Canned Sugar Corn or June Peas, 2 cans for.....15c
No. 1 Granulated Salt, barrel.....$1.50
No. 1 medium grain Salt, barrel...$1.55
Gold Coin Flour (best at any price), sack, $1.10; per cwt.....$2.75
Royal or Price's Baking Powder, 50c cans for.....38c
Royal Crown 30c quality Coffee, 1-lb can, ground or whole.....22c
Gold Star 25c Coffee, 1-lb parchment bags.....19c
Rex Sugar Cured Hams, lb.....19c
Michigan Grapes, per basket, 25c; 2 for.....45c
Choice Bananas, doz.....20c

Northern Potatoes

The Choicest Selections, Delivery any time you wish.
Price, per bushel.....65c
In 5 Bushel lots or more.
List your orders now and get the best.

Wisconsin Cabbage, 100-lb lots, $1.75; small lots.....2c
Young Chickens, lb.....12½c
Lima Beans, 3 lbs.....25c
Crisp Lettuce, 6 bunches.....25c

Townsend's

Les Miserables

By Victor Hugo

NINE REELS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19

ADMISSION 10 AND 25 CENTS
MATINEE 3:30 NIGHT 7:45 SHARP

The FERN THEATRE

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The man who works for daily wages is the one who should carefully consider the future and those dependent on him. Deposit a certain portion of you salary each pay day in this bank. It earns 4 per cent interest compounded twice a year.

A SINGLE DOLLAR DEPOSITED EACH WEEK—
—IN 5 YEARS WILL AMOUNT TO $ 288.00
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Just imagine how Five Dollars or more a week will increase in a few years.

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all depends
On a host of
loyal friends--
County full of
friendly neighbors;
They'll elect him
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Remember to
Re-elect Wray
Recorder. That's
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Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chi-ches-ter s Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Ask for CHI-CHES-TER S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 25 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable
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When Trading at the HAINES STORE
Don't Forget to visit the

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Complete in Every Detail. The Wee Ones Will Appreciate it.

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Ad Number Two by Miss Anna Doug n.

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Communication

Is for Township Organization.

Editor Democrat-Forum: I see by the proceedings of our county court that they have submitted to the voters of Nodaway county a proposition to do away with township organization. I say, better let well enough alone. It may be a good thing for Maryville, but what about the rest of the county. If the voters take my advice, they will vote it down. There is talk in this township of scratching the names of all candidates at the coming election who are against township organization. Boys, you had better look out and tell us how you stand. I know whereof I speak when I say to do away with township organization will be a great mistake for various reasons too numerous to mention.

Yours truly,
JAMES L. HEPBURN.

Two Wolves Killed Near Maryville.

Mart Carmichael, who is now living in Maryville, took his pack of hounds out the other day and captured two big gray wolves within seven miles of Maryville, says the Hopkins Journal. Wolves seem to be quite plentiful along the 102 river, especially where there is heavy timber, and quite a few farmers complain of not only losing chickens, but sheep and young pigs as well.

HOME-COMING WEEK.

Twenty per cent discount on all trimmed hats. McCrary & McCrary millinery store, Maryville, Mo. 12-16

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woods of Seward, Neb., are visiting Mrs. Woods' mother, Mrs. John Looker, this week.

Visiting His Brother.

S. R. Herren of Modeska, Cal., is visiting in the city with his brother, John W. Herren of East First street. Mr. Herren has been visiting his old home place n Ohio and stopped over in the city on his way back home. Mr. Herren was a resident of this county about forty years, ago, when he lived near the Herren school house. He thinks that California is a good place to live in.

WAGONS—Get the other man's price and then go to F. Barmann's and buy your wagon.

Kodaks and supplies at Crane's.

Opens Hopkins Lyceum.

The opening one of the five-number lecture course to be given at Hopkins this fall and winter was attended last night by a fairly large crowd, considering the weather conditions. The Amphion players and singers was the first attraction. Robert S. Seeds, the lecturer with a national reputation, will appear next, November 16.

Do not fail to see F. P. Frisch execute high grade pastel pictures at Crane's. 11-17

Spent Day Here.

C. R. Harmon of Pickering was in the city today looking after business affairs.

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

START A
Bank Account

DEPOSITS OF ONE DOLLAR AND UPWARDS RECEIVED IN OUR SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

INTEREST PAID TWICE A YEAR

Oldest Bank in the County

Nodaway Valley Bank

A BANK FOR SAVINGS

MARYVILLE MISSOURI

Cold Weather

Arrived This Morning, so your thoughts naturally turn to the necessity of buying warmer clothing. We want to help you solve the problem properly and satisfactorily. We make that a feature of our business. Our Fall Lines are complete, and we are ready
—Suits,
Over Coats,
Rain Coats,

Balmaccans,
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Mackinaws,
Sweater Coats,
Heavy Underwear for Men and Boys,
Winter Caps,
Shoes and Overshoes,
Everything you want to make you comfortable for winter wear. The prices just a little lower, the qualities just a little higher than you'll find elsewhere.

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PENN'S NATURAL LEAF
sales are steadily increasing, because every day more chewers are demanding the BEST.

PENN'S
Tight Natural Leaf
Tobacco

It takes but a trial to convince any man that the tobacco in PENN'S NATURAL LEAF is *superior* in every way. *Greater satisfaction* and more genuine *enjoyment* is what you'll get out of every chew.

GUARANTEED
to be the best Natural Leaf Tobacco made. Any dissatisfied customer can return it to any merchant, whom we hereby authorize to refund the money.

THE AMERICAN TOBACCO COMPANY

Resided There 41 Years.

The Hopkins Journal says: When J. W. Tipple came west, forty-eight years ago, there was no Hopkins and Bedford was a very crude little burg. It was near the last named place that he met his present wife and they were married at Bedford in 1866. Seven years later they came to Nodaway county and settled on a farm, some eight miles east of where Hopkins now stands, and have resided on this farm for forty-one years. The land is now very valuable, although forty-one years ago it cost but "six and a fourth" an acre.

To Speak at Hopkins.

Rev. S. D. Harkness, pastor of the Presbyterian church of this city, will speak at the meeting of the Presbyterian Brotherhood of Hopkins on Thursday, October 22.

Hopkins Pastor to Leave.

Rev. Harley Swift, pastor of the Christian church of Hopkins, has received a call to a church near St. Louis, and has accepted. He expects to move to that point in about two weeks.

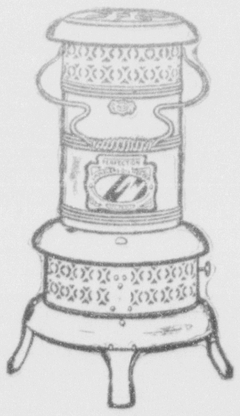
Don't pay high prices for wagons when you can buy a first class wagon at old prices. F. BARMANN.

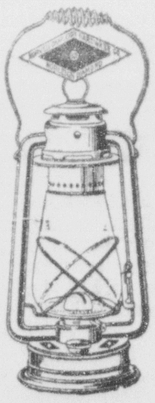
Is Your Old Range Burned Out?

Let us show you the Monarch Malleable. This is the only range that is built for durability. Malleable and wrought iron when riveted together make a joint that stays air tight. Let us show you the Monarch's points of merit.

The Round Oak has almost half a century of unequalled service as a heater. And is the best constructed, most economical in fuel consumed for the amount of space that it will heat, and will out last any heater on the market. Let us show you the Round Oak line.

The Perfection Oil Heater has proven by years of service entirely satisfactory as a heater. It does not smoke or throw off gas and is Just the thing for fall use.





We have line of Lanterns that we guarantee not to blow out in the winds. A good Tublar lanter for 35c.

Duck shooting season is now at its best here. Let us fit you out with a a shot gun, hunting coat or loaded shells. We have a full line.

H. C. BOWER
West Side Hardware

SOCIETY AND CLUBLAND

KATE SCHENCK
Phones—Office 42 Home 683

Mrs. Wooldridge Complimented.

Mrs. Margaret Wooldridge of St. Joseph who is visiting old friends in the city was the complimented guest of a dinner given today by Mrs. Thana Hope and Miss Fannie Hope.

Dinner at Bell Home.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Thomas Bell were the hosts of a dinner party at noon today. Plates were laid for Mrs Amanda Ellis of Kansas City, Miss Ethel Dunn of Waukegan, Ill.; Mrs. T. L. Robinson and the hosts.

Baby Party.

Charlene Harbison, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harbison, celebrated her first birthday anniversary today, and in honor of the event entertained a number of her little friends this afternoon at a baby party.

Dinner for Visiting Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Sheldon will entertain with a dinner this evening, when their guests will be Mrs. Herman Clarkson of Macon, Mo., who is visiting relatives in the city, and Mrs. John Lytle of San Francisco, who is spending the autumn months with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Owen.

McIntyre-Knowles.

The marriage of Miss Eva McIntyre of Elmo and Mr. John D. Knowles of Blanchard, Ia., will take place at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McIntyre, northwest of Elmo. The words of the marriage service will be read by the Rev. R. C. Holliday.

To Attend Brother's Wedding.

Miss Phylis Sayler left last night for Des Moines, Ia., to attend the marriage of her brother, Jerry Stone Sayler, and Miss Sara Latta, which takes place at 7 o'clock this evening at the home of the bride. The groom is a son of Judge and Mrs. J. H. Sayler of this city, and is assistant cashier of the First National bank of Des Moines.

Gives Luncheon.

Mrs. Virgil W. Keene entertained with a luncheon yesterday to compliment Mrs. C. M. Taylor of Denver, Col.; Mrs. Amanda Ellis of Kansas City and Mrs. Margaret Wooldridge of St. Joseph, who are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keene and Mrs. N. B. Lamar.

Guests of the Bakers.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Dunn of Chicago arrived in the city at noon today and are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Baker. Mr. Dunn will remain several days and Mrs. Dunn will make a more extensive visit. Mr. and Mrs. Baker will entertain this evening with a dinner of twelve covers in compliment to their guests.

Messrs. Holmes Hosts.

The Messrs. Lieber and Hedrick Holmes are to be the hosts of a dinner party this evening at their home, 817 South Buchanan street. The guests will be the Misses Della and Kitty Grems, Miss Ina Hallowell and her house guest Miss Barley of Washington, Kansas, Miss Nelle Campbell and Miss Myrtle Nixon.

Dinings for St. Joseph Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Shinabargar were the hosts at a dinner party today noon, when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. James H. Perry and Mrs. A. E. Rush of St. Joseph, who are visiting Maryville relatives during home-coming events. The St. Joseph visitors will be the honor guess at a dinner given this evening by Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Hooker, when plates will be laid for Mr. and Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Rush, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Hooker and the hosts.

Movie Party.

A line party at the Empire this evening to see "The Making of Bobby Burnit" will include Mrs. Guy Leeper and her guest, Miss Harriett Wing of San Antonio, Texas; Miss Lois Long, Miss Hazel Porter, Mrs. Verna Murphy, Miss Gertrude Condon, Mrs. Emma Jane Crandall, Miss Pearl Suckow, Miss Vada Poland, Miss Agatha Kirch, Misses Kate and Theresa Yehle and Miss Mayma Swoboda.

Daily Menu Club.

The newest, or I should say the latest club, which has been brought into the light of the society reporter's typewriter, is the "Daily Menu Club." The club must have been organized just to find a fresh entrance through the alimentary canal road into a man's love storage house. Women wouldn't want it. There is a whole lot of us could exist on a dried herring sandwich rather than cook when there is no man to cook for. Any way whatever its ultimate aim, the club is a fine thing.

The line of least resistance is so attractive—fits so well the mood of the busy day that the same old things are too often provided for the table. When somebody wrote that "variety is the spice of life," that somebody had probably been fed on the same monotonous table fare and told the truth from experience.

The object of the club is, in this weekly assembling of housewives, who are the members, to make out the daily means and to keep from falling into the rut of an unchanging table routine. Most women struggle really hard to try to evolve new ideas for the table and none but the housekeeper-cook herself knows how hard the struggle. The club idea makes the every day task more of a pleasure and the interchange of menus and recipes adds the table "spice." Each member makes out her menus for the week, making allowances, of course, for individual tastes.

FOR SALE—Gentle family horse. O. C. Hanna, phone 556. 15-17

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

A Few Items That Are Worth Your Consideration

for Friday and Saturday

4 qt. Cord Berlin Kettle Pure Aluminum 98c
6 qt. Preserve Kettle, Pure Aluminum 98c
3 qt. Preserve Kettle, Pure Aluminum 49c
2 qt. Rice Boiler, Pure Aluminum $1.69
2 qt. Covered Cream Pail 35c
No. 2 Cold Blast Lantern 69c
5 gal, Galvanized Oil Can 48c
Large No. 2 Fancy Reading Lamp 69c
Men's Blue Stripe, genuine Stifel Overals 85c
Men's all wool Rockford Sox 25c
Boys' and Men's Leather Work Mittens ..... 25c and 45c
Men's and Boys' Cotton Flannel Gloves, pair 8c
Infants wool hose white and black 15c
Ladies Suede Gloves, all colors 48c
Ladies Cotton Fleeced Lined hose 10c
Ladies seamless fleece lined hose 25c
Diston D8 Hand saw ... $1.39
Men's Heavy Coat Sweaters 48c
Ladies and Childrens Jersey Leggings, pair, 50c, 69, c75c
Ladies Silk Petticoats, all Shades 98c
Baby Robes, Fancy colors ..... 39c, 50c and 75c
Comfort Calico, yard 5c
Checkmate Cotton Batts each 10c

Remember our specials for Friday and Saturday at 2 p. m. Friday 2 p. m. blankets 60x76; pair 75c.

Saturday 2 p. m. large assortment of blue and white enamelware, choice 25c.

Graham-Latimer Co.
D. E. HOTCHKIN, Manager
MARYVILLE, MO.

WINTER APPLES!

CAR LOAD
Extra Fancy Stock Arrived To-day
Packed to our order in
3 Bushel (full measure) Barrels
See them on display at our store this week

Price $2.65 per bbl. for Gano's or BenDavis
Price $3.15 per barrel for Wine Saps

Out of town customers order by mail or phone
We will hold them for you

TOWNSEND'S
FOURTH AND MAIN STREET STORE

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Are You Prepared For The Damp, Cold Weather?

This is just the time your should have your Sweater—and every need can be adequately supplied here. Below we offer some special prices on Sweaters. Take advantage of the opportunity.

We have the lines you can always "bank on" for good, snappy, clean cut styles, for attractive values at prices all can afford in Ladies, Misses' and Children's Wool Sweaters, in Cardinal, Maroon, Tan, Green, Navy, White, Gray and combined colors in heavy weaves, in most instances as heavy as Men's Sweaters.

Most of these are pure Worsteds, with pockets and non-tear buttonholes. The V neck, the Byron collar, the belted Norfolk and the Jumbette Shawl collar are all featured.

Ladies ..6.50 and $6.00 grade for $5.00
Ladies $5.00 grade for $4.25
Ladies $4.00 grade for $3.50
Ladies $3.00 grade for $2.50
Ladies $2.50 grade for $2.15
Ladies $2.00 grade for $1.75
Ladies $1.25 grade for 98c

Misses' and Infants' $2.00 grade for $1.75
Misses' and Infants' $1.50 grade for $1.25
Misses' and Infants' $1.25 grade for 98c
Misses' and Infants' $1.00 grade for 85c

KNITTED HEADWEAR

Our assemblege of Knitted Hoods and Toques is now complete, and our values are exceptional.
The colors are White, Tan, Gray and Maroon.
They are in sizes for Ladies, Children and Infants.
Prices are 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.

KNITTED SKIRTS

You should see our assortment of Knitted Wool Under Skirts, These are very essential garments for the cool weather.
They are assorted colors in White, Black, Gray and fancy, in three-quarter lengths.
Prices are $1.0C and $1.25.

See our bale of cotton direct from the South on display in our east window

PROGRAM ANNOUNCED.

W. C. T. U. Work Outlined—Union Shows Fine Increase Since Organization.

The program for the meetings of the Women's Christian Temperance Union from October, 1914, to March, 1915, has been defined. The work the union has taken up, since its organization last summer has been done with enthusiasm, and the membership has been steadily increasing.

The local union was started late last summer under the direction of Mrs. Elizabeth Emmons, state lecturer. Mrs. E. B. Sheldon was appointed president of the union, and under her leadership the organization has greatly progressed. The meetings are held the third Wednesday of each month at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon at the Buchanan Street Methodist church. The general rule of conducting the meetings and the topics for the winter are as follows:

Devotional exercises—Mrs. E. B. Sheldon.
Secretary's report and roll call.
Unfinished or new business.
Parliamentary drill (ten minutes)—Mrs. R. L. Finch.
Temperance news (ten minutes)—Mrs. R. L. McDougal.
Literary and special music in charge of Mrs. F. P. Robinson.
Papers and discussion.
Topics for discussion, October, 1914-March, 1915:

October—Ten minutes talk by each city minister.
October—Ten minutes talk by Mr. Homer Hull, President A. S. A.
October—Ten minutes talk by Mrs. E. B. Sheldon, President W. C. T. U.
What is Our Immediate Plan for Temperance Work? Special reference to county unit bill.
November—(a) Scientific Temperance Instruction in Our City, in Our Schools, Our Churches, Sunday Schools and Missionary Societies—Mrs. C. B. Roberts.
December—Ten minute talks and open discussion.
(a) Our Relation to the Churches, or Why Do We Need a W. C. T. U.?—Mrs. M. E. Malotte.
(b) The Duty of Our Union to Its Members—Visitation, Fraternal Oversight—Mrs. Sarah Wright.
(c) Non-Alcoholic Medication, Our Duty to the Hospital in Our City and Our Sick Neighbors—Mrs. Harvey Crane.
January—(a) Jail and Poor House Visitation—Mrs. Clark Andrews.
(b) Cause and Nature of Crime and How Should We Approach Criminals—Mrs. Omer Catterson.
(c) Our Duty Towards Our Neighbors, Especially the Poor and Unfortunate—Mrs. Adam Kern.
February—(a) Health and Heredity—Mrs. R. L. Finch.
(b) Scientific Christian Motherhood—Mrs. J. D. Frank.
(c) Fraternal Talk—President of City Mother's Club.
March—Why I Joined the W. C. T. U. and How My Vision Has Been Enlarged by Membership—Mrs. McCoppin, Mrs. George Reynolds, Mrs. Lola B. Hulet.

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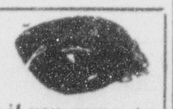
PERFECT FITTING GLASSES



are assured you if you come to Crane's. Our expert optician will test your eyes free and fit them with the proper glasses. Prices reasonable. H. T. CRANE

Boys' Shoe Reduction

Our Boys' Shoe Department is overstocked so we are going to give you advantage in this by selling all Boys' Shoes at a considerable reduction in price.

Hand Knitted Sweaters

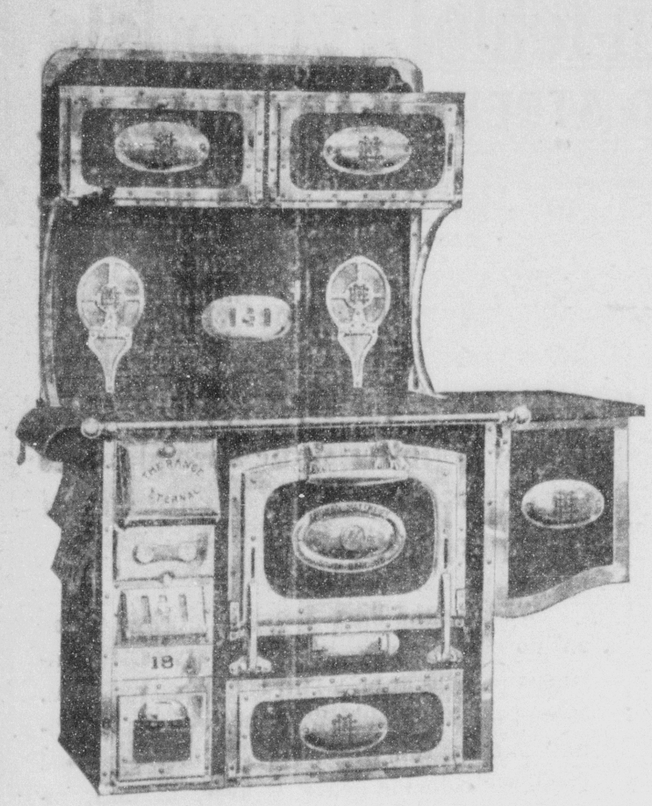
We have a spiendid line of Hand Knitted Sweaters worth $7.00 and $8.00. We want to reduce our stock in these and will sell them at ..... $4.00 and $6.00

Collegian Overcoats, Chincillas and Reefers. We have a good stock of these.

And we are also selling a Hat made by Stetson for $2.50. This is a Special Hat.

Our Shirt Sale is now on. You will want to see some of these lines.

M. NUSBAUM



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Its a Good Time to Put in That New Stove or Range

Heating Stoves and devices for Wood and Coal or Coke. Retorts and Ventilators- Marion, Oaks and Air Tight Heaters at price to suit.

Your little girl may win the Miniature Range. Is she saving her votes?

John J. Hall

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LETTER LIST.

Following is a list of the letters remaining unclaimed in the Maryville postoffice for the week ending Wednesday, October 14:

Men.

Atherton, George E.
Bamboer, B. L.
Charles, Loran.
Cummings, Albert.
Davis, Rev. Walter R.
Doran, John.
Huff, J. E.
Jennings, Fred (4).
Kelley, John.
Pickett, O. B.
Pratt, A. J.
Riggs, Bennett.
Toles, Geo. (official).
Wing, H. J. (official).
Yates, Roy.
Yates, R. G.

Women.

Denslow, Miss Gladys.
Knowyer, Mrs. William.
Matthews, Miss Georgia.
Ryan, Mrs. J. J.
Sharpe, Miss Alta.
Whitmore, Mrs. Jove.
Williams, Mrs. Elizabeth.
Worthingston, Mrs. Ethel R.

Miscellaneous.

Hutchison Bros.

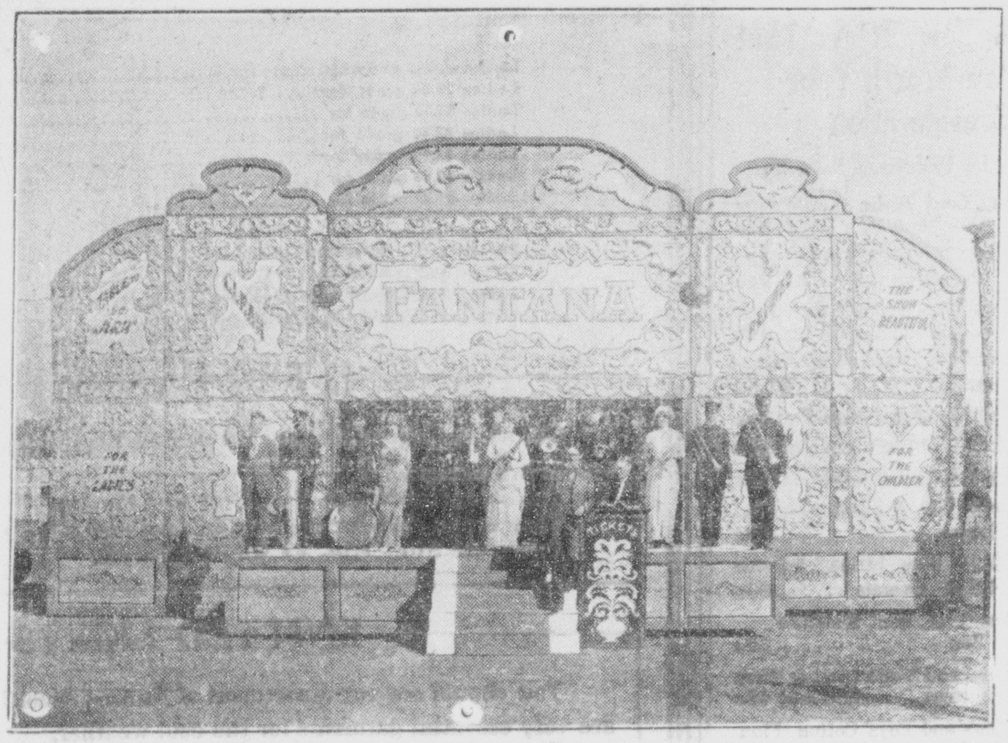
Persons calling for above named letters will please say "advertised."

JAMES TODD, Postmaster.

Matt Whiteford Ill.

Matt Whiteford of Guilford has been seriously ill for the past two weeks at his home. Mr. Whiteford has been failing in health for some time and his condition now is serious.

ONE OF THE TOM W. ALLEN SHOWS AT THE HOME-COMING THIS WEEK.



The finest pastel paintings ever shown in Maryville are now being made and exhibited at Crane's. 14-17

New wagons at old prices. Fully warranted. F. BARMANN.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—4,500. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 3,000.
Hogs—2,000. Market 5c lower; top, $8.15. Estimate tomorrow, 13,000.
Sheep—4,000. Market slow.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—4,500. Market steady.
Hogs—7,000. Market steady; top, $7.55.
Sheep—12,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—2,000. Market strong.
Hogs—5,200. Market 5c to 10c lower; top, $7.45.
Sheep—1,500. Market slow.

Attend Home-Coming.

Miss Agnes McCann of Ravenwood and her cousin, Miss Margaret Healey of Denver, Col., who is visiting her, were in Maryville today to visit friends and attend the home-coming celebration. Miss Healey has been visiting at the McCann home the last three weeks. She expects to return home within a few days.

J. W. EVANS
Auctioneer
Will make sales of every description. Farmers' phone 179.
Maryville, Mo.

CLOSING OUT SALE

Having rented my farm, I will sell at public auction at my place ¼ mile east of Guilford, on

Monday, October 19, 1914

SALE TO COMMENCE AT 10 A. M.

EIGHT HEAD OF HORSES AND MULES—1 bay horse, 9 years old; 2 draft geldings, coming 3 years old; 1 yearling saddle colt; 1 yearling draft colt; 1 yearling fillie, a good one; 1 yearling mule; 1 weanling mare mule and an extra good one.

TWENTY-TWO HEAD OF CATTLE—18 head of high grade native yearling steers; 2 extra good milk cows; 1 Shorthorn cow with calf by side; 1 Jersey cow.

FIFTEEN HEAD OF HOGS—9 head of shoats, weighing about 125 pounds 2 brood sows; 4 pigs, weight about 70 pounds.

100 Pure Bred White Leghorn Chickens; 100 acres of fall pasture, corn fodder, stock field and some hay. Will sell day of sale if not disposed of before.

IMPLEMENTS—1 farm wagon, 2 riding cultivators, 1 walking cultivator, 1 disc harrow, 1 three section harrow, 1 corn planter, 2 listers and drill combined, 1 horse drill, 1 sixteen inch walking plow, 1 mowing machine, 1 hay rake, 1 hay frame, 1 Vehile buggy, 1 set of farm harness, 1 saddle, 1 incubator, 1 U. S. cream separator, almost new, about 15 ricks of stove wood, 1 dipping tank. Household and kitchen furniture, etc.

TERMS OF SALE—All sums under $10.00, cash; over that amount a credit of 3, 6 or 9 months will be given on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Lunch served on grounds.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer.
CARL WRAY, Clerk.

T. A. IVIE

PUBLIC SALE.

I will sell at my farm, ¾ mile west ¾ mile south of Arkoe and ½ mile west of Bridgewater, on

Tuesday, October 20th, 1914

THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

26 HEAD OF CATTLE—12 head of yearling steers of good quality and color, the kind that everybody wants to feed out; 1 Shorthorn bull, 6 yearling heifers that will be fresh early in the spring. These heifers are from a good strain of milk cows of the Southern stock, 4 2-year-old heifers of good quality and color, all bred; 4 milch cows that should give milk all winter, to be fresh early in the spring.

23 HEAD OF HOGS—Consisting o 3 brood sows that have been through the cholera, 20 head of spring shoats. These pigs are a healthy lot of Poland Chinas of Fred Robinson Stock and will be sold in lots to suit.

MARE AND MULES—1 brood mare 8 years old, weight 1,300 pounds, sound, a good worker and a splendid brood mare. Also three yearling mules.

Ladies of the neighborhood will serve lunch for the benefit of the Arkoe Christian church.

TERMS—All sums of $10 and under cash. Over that amount 3 or 6 months time on bankable note at 8 per cent interest from date.

Sale to begin at 10:30 o'clock sharp. Don't forget the date, Oct. 20.

R. P. HOSMER, Auctioneer.
S. H. KEMP, Clerk.

J. E. WYATT

The following from Nodaway county were on Wednesday's market at St. Joseph: Porter & Fite, J. B. Nunnelley, J. D. Elliott, J. A. Blagg, J. A. Adams, Ed Botkins, J. A. Iddings, Sheley & Lowrey and G. H. Swaney.

Savannah Guest Arrives.

Mrs. J. T. Fuqua of Savannah arrived in the city at noon to spend a few days visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Cook.

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Kansas City Guests Arrive.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miller of Kansas City arrived in Maryville last night to visit Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. Catharine Miller, and his sister, Mrs. F. P. Robinson, and family.

Chiffonier and Oil Stove $3.50 and $2.50
Single Bed, including springs and mattress $7.50
Solid Oak Buffet $12.50
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OBJECTS TO BILL

SAMUEL O. DUNN, "HOMECOMER," OPPOSES PROPOSED LEGISLATION

IS $500,000 BURDEN

Amendment to Increase Traffic Crews is Unnecessary Hardship on Missouri Railroads.

Samuel O. Dunn of Chicago, editor of the Railway Age Gazette, author of "The American Transportation Question" and "Government Ownership of Railways," and a former resident of Nodaway county, in an interview here this afternoon on his arrival for the home-coming celebration, severely criticized the measure requiring the railways of Missouri to increase the number of men employed in train crews, which has been submitted to the people of the state on the referendum ballot to be voted on in November.

"The train crew legislation," he said, "would impose an additional expense estimated at $500,000 annually on the railways of Missouri, and it would not cause an increase in the safety of railway operation, as is contended by its advocates.

"It would involve all this expense to the railways directly and to the people indirectly, in the form of freight and passenger rates, and it would be of no public benefit whatever. It is for these reasons that I say that this legislation ought to be defeated. Let us consider, first, the financial aspects of the proposed legislation and then the effects which it would have on railway accidents.

Would Not Increase Earnings.

"It is clear that the employment of more men, as this proposed legislation requires, would not tend to increase the earnings of the railways, for they are able to handle all the traffic available with the men they now have. It is also certain that it would cause a large increase in their operating expense.

"But whatever increases expense without increasing earnings must reduce net earnings. Therefore, this legislation would reduce the net earnings of the railways of Missouri by as much as it increases their expenses unless the increase in expenses should be offset by increase in freight and passenger rates.

"The railways of Missouri are not in a position to stand reductions in their net earnings. Long before the great war in Europe caused the strained business situation from which we are all suffering, the net earnings of the railways of Missouri as a whole were relatively poor. A few companies having mileage in the state are strong financially, but most of them are not, and companies owning more than 50 per cent of the mileage in this state have not been able, even in comparatively good years, to pay a dollar of dividends.

Small Capitalization.

"The average capitalization of the roads having mileage in this state is not large, being much less than the average for all the roads of the country; and the reason why they do not pay dividends is that their net earnings are so small.

"This was the situation even before the war hit business so hard; and even then the roads were contending that they imperatively needed higher rates and earnings. The situation of the railways has become much more serious since the war began, and they need advance in rates much more now than they did then.

"The only argument for the train crew law is that the railways do not employ enough men on their trains, that this leads to accidents, and that the roads should be required to employ more men in the interest of public safety. There is no evidence whatever to support the contention that railway accidents occur because the railways do not employ enough trainmen, or that there would be fewer accidents if they employed more trainmen.

Should Prohibit Trespassing.

"The evidence is all the other way. Fifty-one per cent of the people killed in accidents are trespassers on their trains and rights of way. What is needed to reduce them is the passage of and the enforcement of better laws relative to trespassing on railways. Of all the persons except trespassers who are killed in railway accidents about 72 per cent are killed in accidents to roadway or bridges, by falling from engines or cars at stations.

"The remainder of the persons killed in railway accidents meet their deaths while coupling or uncoupling cars, attending switches, coming in contact with structures over or beside the tracks, in train accidents, such as collisions and derailments, and in other ways, the causes of which are not given by the interstate commerce commission, from whose reports my statistics are taken."

The public utilities commission and not the people as a whole is the proper body to deal with matters of this sort, according to Mr. Dunn.

"The people of Missouri ought to defeat the full crew legislation in this state," said Mr. Dunn, "not merely in the interest of the railways but in their own interest and that of the public generally. Every unnecessary burden placed on the railways at this time will be a blow dealt to the prosperity of the entire country."

Barney Brady of Conception spent the day in Maryville on business.

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IS BIG DISPLAY

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exhibit of parcel post containers and packages in this building. Many articles that can be sent by parcel post are on display such as an auto tire, lightning rod fixtures and lightning fixtures. Many circulars are given away giving the rates and also explaining what may be sent and how it should be wrapped.

The prizes in the agricultural and home economics show will be awarded Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. The boys and girls judging contest will take place that morning between 9 and 11 o'clock. The entries close tonight.

Here From St. Joseph.

Mrs. George C. Toel of St. Joseph arrived in Maryville last night and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. O. C. Hanna, 1209 North Main street.

Guest at the Pierce Home.

E. E. E. McJimsey, editor of the Springfield (Mo.) Republican, arrived in the city at noon today to attend the home-coming. While here Mr. McJimsey will be a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Pierce.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed McKee and Mrs. Nelson of Ravenwood spent today in the city attending the home-coming celebration.

Clyde Hutton of Grand Island, Neb., arrived in Maryville last night to spend the remainder of the week visiting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Haines of Scio, O., came to Maryville last night to spend several weeks visiting at the home of William Pride and daughter, Nannie.

KAISER IN HIGH SPIRITS

Berlin Painter Says Emperor and Chancellor Are Confident of Victory.

London, Oct. 15.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily News telegraphs:

"The Berlin painter, Vollbehr, who has just seen the kaiser, says the emperor is in the highest spirits. His pride in his army is so great that it shines through his eyes, which are phosphorescent with happiness.

"The major of Wolmar, addressing the troops, said: 'My boys, the leaves are falling, but we shall all return to our beloved homes.' Both the kaiser said Vollbehr, and the chancellor, who is accompanying him at the front, are certain of victory. They spoke of changing the map of Europe after the war."

HAMLIN TALKS TO BANKERS

Governor of Federal Reserve Board Discusses New System.

Richmond, Va., Oct. 15.—Governor Charles S. Hamlin of the federal reserve board was the principal speaker at the convention of the American Bankers' association. Governor Hamlin told the bankers that he hoped to see the new system in operation in a short time and predicted that it would prove of immense advantage to the country.

The European war furnished Governor Hamlin with an opportunity to compliment the bankers on the spirit they have shown in helping to restore disturbed financial conditions, but he gave warning that the problems which have risen from the war should not be attacked "so that the remedies proposed are worse than the disease."

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FOR SALE—Well improved 120-acre farm. For particulars see J. F. Roelofsan. 9-30

FOR RENT—Dwelling, 6 rooms and bath; first house south Price & McNeal's; $15; E. L. Andrews. 13-15

FOR RENT—7-room house, modern, new furnace, close in corner. Fred Kurtz, phone 6490. 14-16

FOR RENT—A large modern room, desirable for one or two men. 121 Edwards street. 14-16

FOR SALE—Serviceable dray or farm horse, also set heavy single harness. F. M. Townsend. 14-16

FOR RENT—A good comfortable six-room house at 419 West Sixth street, 5½ blocks northwest of the square. See S. M. Redfield.

LOST—A heavy gold brooch, fashioned of two small squares, each set with small diamond. Return to Farmers Trust Co. Reward. 14-16

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 2 Studebaker 30, 1 Maxwell roadster, 1 Maxwell touring car; cars in first class condition. T. L. Wilderman, Maryville, Mo. 12-17

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, one aged. Some yearlings and spring pigs. All immune. H. B. Dowden and Dale Partridge, Farmers phone.

FOR RENT—Four rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. 213 North Main street. Inquire J. A. Ford. 29-tf

FOR RENT—8-room modern house, 2 lots, vacant Nov. 1, or will trade for smaller property. See O. L. Holmes. 14-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, three blocks from square. 110 South Fillmore. 10-tf

FOR RENT—Two large rooms with modern conveniences. Board if desired. 131 South Main. Phone 4624. 5-tf

FOR SALE—Two good rockers, 1 single bed and 1 small stove suitable for bedroom. 404 West Second St. Phone 4507 Hanamo. 7-tf

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